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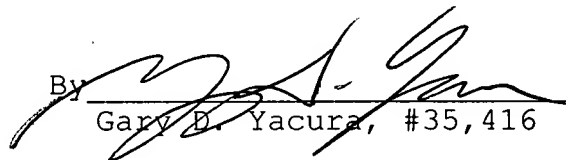
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Applicants: Max A. SOLONDZ Conf: 1880
Serial No.: 09/250,287 Group: 2683
Filed: August 7, 2000 Examiner: M. Milord
For: METHOD OF MAKING DOWNLINK OPERATIONAL MEASUREMENTS IN
A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

RULE 111 RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action dated March 2, 2001, please enter the following
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REMARKS

Claims 1-25 are pending in the present application. Claims 1 and 16 are independent.

Claims 1-25 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Sporre (U.S. Patent No. 5,966,657) in view of Leblanc et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,960,341). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

Sporre and Leblanc et al., either alone or in combination, do not teach all the features of independent claims 1 and 16. In particular, neither reference teaches or suggests,

...sending a measurement request from one of a main controller and a first base station to at least a second base station, said measurement request requesting said second base station to make operation measurements of at least one signal transmitted by said first base station,

as recited by claim 1 and similarly claim 16.